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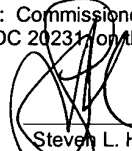
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Re: *U.S. Patent Application No. 09/872,852 entitled "HUMAN BETA-DEFENSIN-3 (HBD-3), A HIGHLY CATIONIC BETA-DEFENSIN ANTIMICROBIAL PEPTIDE" by Paul B. McCray, Jr. et al.*
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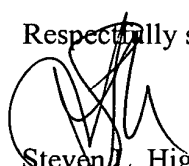
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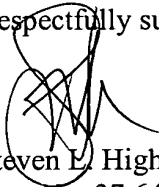
In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, it is respectfully requested that this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed on attached Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record. Copies of the listed documents required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2) are enclosed for the convenience of the Examiner.

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Applicants respectfully request that the listed documents be made of record in the present case.

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	B5	DE 10033505.5	7/1100	Germany			No
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